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TO SAVE LIBERTY

Success Crowns Mr. McAdoo's First Step in Congress.

His Amendment Passed Without Building. a Dissenting Voice.

Gen. Spinola Says the Island Will Be Kept as Now.

posed in the original bill throws that part of the matter over until to-morrow; but this Gen. Spinola assures THE EVEN-ING WORLD'S correspondent will not interfere with the investigation.

"Liberty Island," says the General,

Ten or twelve thousand protesting petitions were secured by World reporters in less than five hours Saturday, and thousands more may be had if Secretary Windom doubts that the voice of the New York people is against desecrating Liberty Island.

CAUGHT BY A DECOY LETTER.

Letter-Carrier Samuel R. Cross, a mem ber of Rev. Dr. Talmage's church, in Brooklyn, was arraigned this forenoon before United States Commissioner Benedict on the charge of stealing letters.

He was caught by a decoy letter, which Inapactor Camp caused to be placed in his box at Station E. March 5.

Lawyer Backus defended the prisoner, whose young wife accompanied him in the court-room. Mr. Backus claimed that Cross merely violated a regulation of the office, and never had any intention of keeping the

letter.
Inspector Camp said a number of complaints had been made of money lost in the mails on Cross's route, and he had captured the culprit by means of a decoy letter.
Further examination of the case was put off until next Monday.

tion of the Claassen Board.

Commissioner Shields To-Day.

The examination of Peter J. Claussen was continued this morning before U. S.

The proceedings were enlivened by the appearance of J. Kenneth Watson, who of little Laura York, has her heart in the was one of the Board of Directors of the Sixth National Bank, who has been long and vainly sought since the bank trouble

Foon after the session opened, Watson was called to the stand. He is a mediun -WASHINGTON, March 10.—Mr. McAdoo's amendment to the Immigration Laws bill, providing for a thorough investigation as to whether Liberty Island should be selected as the site of the proposed immugrant landing depot, was passed in the House this morning without a dissenting voice.

An objection by Mr. Kilgors to the \$5,000 special appropriation for the investigation of the immigrant laws proposed in the original bill throws that

to pay money and sometimes

"Liberty Island," says the General, will be saved to the uses to which it is now put."

This is good news of success in the campaign to save pretty little Liberty Island and its majestic statue from the fate which it would certainly incur should Secretary Window's decision to use the island as an immigrant landing-place be allowed to stand.

The plans of the campaign were well laid, and its purpose was so worthy that it could not fail of support.

Secretary Window will hear a loud reproof in the unanimous vote on Mr. McAdoo's amendment.

The way to a speedy righting of the matter now seems clearly open, but should everything else fail, then the State of New Jersey will step into the became a director in the State of New Jersey will step into the without her permission.

F. Commissioner R. C. Bascot, of Jer.

The will be saved to the uses to which it is now in the meeting of Jan. 23. He received a writation of Jan. 24. He received a writation of San. 22.

Simmons, Ripley and Carrying the dampness and chill to the very bones—a policeman from the Twentieth station heard a sound like the treble of a kitten.

He was at Tenth ayenue and Sixteenth stock in the Lenox Hill Bank, but got him the save blood of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on the very benes—a policeman from the Twentieth state he very benes—a policeman from the Iwentical station of a high street, and he was on one side of a high street, and he was on the l

Fair Attraction for New York.

Virginia does not yet despair of New York's eventually securing the World's Fair.

Mayor Grant, as Chairman of the Fair Committee, 10-day received the following letter from a firm of real estate dealers in

DIRECTOR WATSON TURNS UP. QUEEN LAURA'S RECEPTION. FOREIGN NEWS BY CABLE. FLACKS AT

Oueer Disclosures as to the Elec- Baby York's Friends Help to Cel- Bismarck's Disappointment and ebrate Her First Birthday.

York Hospital Nurses.

Forty fond and doting mothers are helping their baby girl celebrate her first Commissioner Shields, in the Post-Office birthday to-day at the New York Hospital, Perhaps another mother, wistful and longing for a part in this event in the life



nurse's room of the great hospital, too A guilty heart is that of this one mother

who has no participation.

Classen told him on Jan. 27 that the
Lenox Hill Bank had overdrawn its account at the Sixth National Bank.

He received no notice to attend the
meeting of Jan. 28. He received a wristen notice to be present at the meeting or
ten notice to be present at the meeting or
the very bones—a policeman from the
the very bones—a policeman from the dreary, cold and bleak morning, with a dent.

City Record and other fat city printing contracts, is rumored to be dead.

Some weeks ago he was attacked by La Grippe, which ultimately developed into pneumonis.

He was advised by his physician to seek a warmer clime, and on Friday afternoon, with his wife and daughter, he sailed on the Ciyde line steamer Charleston for Savannab.

This morning a rumor reached the city that Mr. Brown had died on board the vessel, which touched at Charleston this morning.

At the office of the Ciyde line it was said they had heard nothing of Mr. Brown's death.

The rumor was not credited at Mr. Brown's office, to Park place. Mr. Brown's home is at 931 Madison avenue.

WASHINGTONE HOUSE FOR SAIF

WASHINGTON'S HOUSE FOR SALE.

A Virginian Offers It as a World's

Fair Attraction for New York.

She now has a French nur email, a lite.

UNWELCOME WATER COLOR.

Policeman Robinson, of the Nineteenth Prochoct found the water running in Herman Wandarlich's picture atore, at No. 86s Broadway, last night, and, having sent for the owner, helped to shut it off. It had done a good deal of damage, heading the picture was also found running from a broken pipe in the store No. 662 Sixth average.

A fire in the basement No. 37s Stat average damaged the store of Alsonard Range & Sou \$1,000 this morning and frights and damaged the store of the consension. We asked a store to damaged the store of the form a firm of real estate dealers in Washington residence, the home where George Washington residence, the home of his life, in the bown of Frederick State, have been placed in our hands for sale, owing to its present of the other and railing some pictures.

TELEGRAPH NEWS IN BRIEF.

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NEW YORK, MONDAY, MARCH 10, 1890.

New Plans for His Son.

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> IDUNEAR CABLE NEWS SPECIAL ! Benlin, March 10,-From perso al friends of Bismarck it is learned that the Work of Impanelling on Impartial Chancellor's policy has been to induct his son Herbert into all the functions of Government that he regards as almost hereditary dignities for the Bismarck line.

The Chaucellor now confesses, however, his disappointment on finding Herbert physically and mentally unequal to the gigantic task. He, therefore, has decided to gradually retire from his various posts, and as he does so creating a Secretaryship for the Empire.

uch as always prevailed in the Prussian lovernment. In this way there will be created Financial, Commercial and Colonial Secre-taries, and the Chancellor will retain only

the Foreign Office for bestowal on Herbert The English Tongue for German Nurseries.

IDENLAP CABLE NEWS SPECIAL. Bunnin, March 10. - A home for American and English governesses has been established in this city under the patronage of the Empress, the wife of the American Minister and four ladies of noble rank. Miss Nash, an American, is the superin

The object seems to be to make Englis the language of German nurseries, a

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Beginning of the Many Times Post-

New York's Sheriff in the Role of an Accused Felon.

poned Conspiracy Trial.

Jury Begun.

At last Sheriff Flack, his precious son Will" Flack, and Joseph Meeks, the pliant referee in the famous bogus di vorce proceedings, stand at the bar of iustice.

After six adjournments and various other vicissitudes, the trial of these three worthies on the seventy-count indict ment for conspiracy in getting a divorce



reptibly dampened by ro-day's setback.

Anstin Corbin said he didn't know anything about it.

FATHER AND SON MURDERED.

The Older Victim a Sightless and an Armless Man.

IFFECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.!

St. Louis, Mo., March 10.—Officers at Galena, Kan., have arrested the supposed murderer of Charles Williams and his twelve-year-old son, who were found murdered in their beds yeastrolay morning.

Williams was blind and had lost both arms in a mine accident.

The Quotations.

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ringe.
She was driven to the Vanderbilt Hotel, and there she implored Mr. Goff to permit her to register her name as a guest.
'I do not want to be here like a criminal," she excisimed. Thus it impoens that on the page of the hotel register for March 9 appears in wavering lines the signature, "Mary E.

Flack, city."

Mrs. Flack has been at the Vanderbilt since, jealously guarded by two police-She did not appear in Justice Barrett's Court to day, there being little possibility that a jury would be secured for the trial of the accused.

of the accused.

Sheriff Fisck, black and dogged and sinister in expression, freshly shaven and carefully groomed, presented a marked contrast to Joseph Mecks, the man who was indebted to him for a fat calary under him while County Clerk.

Meeks is florid, has very light hair, a
dirty white mustache, eyes that droop at
the corners and a smiling, devil-may-care

style.

He is careless as to dress, thus heightening the contrast with the always sleek Flacks—father and son.

The defendants were supported by exjudge William Fullerion, the venerable, and Horace Russell, the energetic, and by John H. Bird, yachtsman.

Col. Fellows and Assistants Goff and Semple appeared for the prosecution.

Chief Clerk John Sparks, twinkling all over with benevolence, called the Court over with benevolence, called the Court to order: Capt. Billy Ricketts rapped everybody into a sest, and Clerk Welsh called the roll of a special panel of one hundred jurces, seventy-three of whom responded.

Then Mr. Gost moved the trial for con-

AFTER MANY ADJOURNMENTS, THE FLACK TRIAL BEGINS



the city.

She consulted with Assistant District.
Attorney Goff Saturday and promised faithfully to go to the house of her niece, Mrs. Bingham, at 225 East Eighty-fifth street.

Instead she was driven up to the door of the house of City Marshal Joseph M. Hill, 215 East Fitty, first street, late Satury.

The carriage rolled away, and the curtains were drawn down tight.

The District-Attorney discovered that Mrs. Flack had not appeared at Mrs. Bingham's—indeed, Mrs. Bingham was sorely affrighted leat her aunt had come to some harm.

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Otto Lewin, a photographer at 12% Third ayeane, was a particularly bright talesmin. He was in Europe when The Wonlin exposed the Flack conspiracy, and consequently had no opinion as to the case.

He was a client of Deputy Assistant District-Attorney Gosse, but seemed otherwise so tair and intelligent that Judge Russell said he'd accept him, though the law would exclude him if the defanse objected.

Col. Fellows, hitherto perfectly satisfied, at this percentportity challenged Mr. Lewin, and he was dismissed. When the proceedings were resumed after recess Foreman Herrick was still alone in the jury-box.

BROKE HIS WIFE'S RIBS. Patrick Sullivan Beat Her Insensible and Then Fled.

Patrick Sullivan, of 250 Elizabeth street. the result of his wife's injuries. Sullivan quarreiled with his wife Sature day, knocked her down, breaking two of her ribs, and heat her insensible. He then fled, leaving two small children to care for their methol:

Mr., Sullivan was removed to St. Vincent's
Hospital, where it was thought she was
fatally injured.
Her husband was arreated yesterday.

---Puns Mrt.s for the Haby. The New York Con-densed Milh Co.'s Milks, condensed and daild, absolutely pure. Perfect for children. Try is. "s"

Justice Gardner at Coney Island in July, 1883, and that Gregg left her in the following October. In 1888, she continues he established her in a house in Sixteenth street, but deserted her again in January, but deserted her aga

1890, 1880, 1890, 1880, 1890, 1880, 1890, 1880, 1890, BROKER MESEROLE BADLY HURT.

Unconscious, but the Doctors Think, However, That Ho May Get Well.

Comptroller Myers visited Ward's Island yesterday and made a thorough examination of the buildings under the control of the Emigration Commissioners, which they propose to lease to the city.

He said that the buildings are in a most distributed condition, and he thinks the result of \$10,000 fixed by the Board of Fungration is exercistant, and that the city about not consider the proposition to lease them at that figure.

The other members of the Board of Extimate and Apportionment will impect the buildings some day this week.

ESCAPE CUT OFF.

Another Scene of Panic at a Ludica Street Fire.

A Baby Thrown from the Second Floor Caught by a Fireman.

Shivering Tenants Crowd the Roof, Shricking for Help.

early morning to the cry of fire. It came from a familiar corner. No. 137, a human bechive, six stories high and sheltering thirty-two families in its front and res buildings.

Less than two years ago the building

was ravaged and a number of people burned, but none were killed. It has since been provided oth every neaus of oscape for its teeming popt tion. There are fire-escapes in front and rear, and iron bridges span the ten-feet wide yard between the two buildings.

Between the two towering structures the yard is little less than a big chimney. The tenement stands alone. On one side there is an alley leading to a rear stable; on the other a three-story building 139, the roof of which is fully thirty-

Policeman Baker found J. Salzer's fish store, in the basement, on fire at 3.30 o'clock this morning. It soon spread to Judge Dugro, in the Superior Court this

Harris Bleak's notion store and E Weinstein's grocery on the ground flo Baker gave the alarm that sent the fi

front building who came over the iron bridges.

They were safe for the moment, but the flames reared up the fire-escapes, louder each moment. There was no other way of escape. Strung along the coping in an agitated, despairing line, men and women shouted for help. Their shraks were borne out over the neighborhood for blocks and found sympathetic schoes in a thousand windows lined with specialors unable to assist them.

The most desperate climbed over the edge of the roof and made ready to jump. The roof of 139 was the full height of a three-story house below.

Undertaker P. J. Hoellerer, who lives there, was busy with his men leading out thirty-seven horses from the rear stalls.

He left them to their fate, and, running on his own roof with his men, shouted to the imperilled tenants not to jump.

on his own roof with his men, should be the imperilled tenants not to jump.

The firemen were getting ready their ladders. By the time they had raised one long enough from the undertaker's roof to reach the top of the burning front tenement, the iron bridge that spanned the yard groaved under the sudden rush

the ment, the iron bridge that spanned the yard groaned under the sudden rush of many feet.

The firemen, reinforced by extra companies, sent on a second alarm call, brought the tenants down safe.

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A single family had been left. A. Goldstein, his wife and children—Louis, aged
four years; Fanny, aged three years, and
Jacob, the baby—were the last to quit
their rooms on the second floor of the
front building.

The stairs were impassable, and carrying their children the father and mother
groped their way to the rear fire-escape.

They reached it only to find descent
there even more impossible than by the
hallway.

Blinded and smothered they dropped on
the balcony. Their crice were heard
below, and Firemen Wilkenson, Gaffnay
and Flynn, of Hook and Ladder Company 18, groped their way through the
utter darkness following the sound.

They reached the periahing family just
in time.

The children had scarce a stitch of
clothing on. They were more than half
smothered, but recovered with their
parents when taken into the street.

The whole damage by the fire was scarce
\$2,000. No one knows how it broke out.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW'S ILLNESS.

Confined to His Bed with La Grippe, but Growing Better, He Says. During all the recent ravages of La Grippe Dr. Chauncey M. Depew was one of the faw

Conconsols, but the Bostors Thins, However, That Ho May Get Well.

Jere, S. Mescrole, a member of the New York Stock Exchange, and senior member of the firm of Jere, S. Mescrole & Co., of 16 the firm of Jere, S. Mescrole & Co., of 16 the firm of Jere, S. Mescrole & Co., of 16 the firm of Jere, S. Mescrole & Co., of 16 the firm of Jere, S. Mescrole & Co., of 16 the firm of Jere, S. Mescrole & Co., of 16 the firm of Jere, S. Mescrole is broads reserved. In the Laurel House at Lakewood, N. J. in the Laurel House at Lakewood, N. J. Darwin J. Mescrole is in brother, remained at his bedside all night. He said to-day firm the bedside all night. He said to-day firm the bedside all night. He said to-day the genial Chauncey is confined to its bed at his residence, 43 West Fifty-fourth street, with as fully a developed case of La Grippe accound be dealered. On his way home from Buffalo last Friday night Dr. Depow contracted a savenue, Brooklyn.

Mr. Mescrole is twenty-six years old, unmarried, and lives at 226 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.

S30,000 15 TOO MUCH.

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through receiving congratulations on the twentiath anniversary of his services as a

The control of the part of the spiracy of James A. Flack, Joseph Meeks and William L. Flack. Everybody was ready, and Clerk Welsh turned his wheel and drew forth a slip bearing the name of William Worth, an Judge Dugro, in the Superior Court this morning, dismissed Mrs. Caroline G. Dinsmore, or Brown's suit for absolute divorce Joshua Gregg, the wealthy carpet dealer, at Fifth avenue and Fourteenth street, on the ground of lack of proof as to the marriage. The Court's action gave the defendant much relief, as he married again during the time that the Mrs. Gregg of this suit claimed he was her husband. The plaintiff's claim was that she is Carolino G. Gregg, while the defendant says she is Mrs. Dinsmore or Mrs. Bower. Stee says she was married to Gregg by Police Justice Gardner at Coney Island in July.